UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA (Greensboro Division)

IN RE:	RENEA DAWN ROBERTS,	Case No. 17-11163
	Debtor.	Chapter 7
FIRST NA	ATIONAL BANK OF OMAHA, Plaintiff,	COMPLAINT SEEKING EXCEPTION TO DISCHARGE PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. §523(a)(2)(C) and/or §523(a)(2)(A)
	V.	
RENEA D	AWN ROBERTS,	A.P. No. 16-ap
	Defendant.	Hon. Judge Aron

The Plaintiff, First National Bank of Omaha, by and through its attorney, and for its Complaint against the Debtor, avers and alleges as follows:

I. Parties and Jurisdiction

- 1. This Court has jurisdiction over this proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1334 and §157.
- 2. This matter is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §157.
- 3. The Debtor filed a Petition, and an Order for Relief was entered under 11 U.S.C Chapter 7 on October 19, 2017.
- 4. The Plaintiff is a named creditor in the above referenced bankruptcy proceeding and is objecting to the discharge of a debt in this bankruptcy.

II. Facts and Background

- 5. The Debtor, Renea Dawn Roberts, was issued a credit card account by First National Bank of Omaha, number xxxx-xxxx-8810, which account was opened on April 10, 2014.
- 6. On August 17, 2017, the account was in good standing and the balance of the abovementioned account was \$0.00.

- 7. Between August 17, 2017 and October 5, 2017, the Debtor charged \$12,771.12 on the Account and never made a payment.
- 8. The Debtor was rarely using this Account prior to the above spending.
- 9. The Debtor has previously filed for bankruptcy protection.
- 10. The Debtor's charges during this time period, included, but were not limited to:
 - a) A check to State Employees Credit Union in the amount of \$8,000.00;
 - b) A charge to State Employees Credit Union in the \$2,200.00;
 - c) A charge to Best Buy in the amount of \$1,350.36; and
 - d) A charge to Sam's Club in the amount of \$428.58.

See Exhibit A, true and accurate copies of the account statements are attached hereto.

- 11. Interestingly, State Employees Credit Union is where the Debtor has banking accounts and a secured obligation.
- 12. The Debtor listed her account with Plaintiff as only having a balance of \$1,942.84 in her Schedules.
- 13. Upon information and belief, the Debtor either tried to deposit money in her bank account and/or pay off a portion of her secured debt with this Account.
- 14. The Debtor went from rarely using this Account to charging excessively in a short period of time right before bankruptcy and never made a payment on the Account.
- 15. Given the Debtor's monthly income, monthly living expenses, and circumstances as set forth in her sworn Schedules and sworn Statement of Financial Affairs, at the time the Defendant incurred the abovementioned \$12,771.12 in charges, the Debtor's monthly disposable income was not sufficient to pay for this transaction pursuant to the terms and conditions associated with the account.

III. First Cause of Action

- 16. Paragraphs 1 through 15 are hereby repeated and incorporated as if fully set forth herein.
- 17. The Debtor made approximately \$12,771.12 in purchases on the abovementioned account within 90 days of filing bankruptcy.
- 18. To the extent that the Debtor incurred luxury good purchases or services aggregating more than \$675.00 within ninety days of filing this Chapter 7 bankruptcy, said luxury good purchases or services are presumed nondischargeable pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §523 (a) (2) (C)(i).

- 19. Based on the location, frequency, and change in spending, the charges made during the 90-day period appear to be for luxury and/or non-necessity type goods or services.
- 20. Upon information and belief, the \$12,771.12 in charges made during the 90-day period were for luxury and/or non-necessity type goods or services and should not be discharged.
- 21. Based on the foregoing, the charges incurred for luxury goods or services over \$675.00 are non-dischargeable pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §523 (a) (2) (C).

IV. Second Cause of Action

- 22. Paragraphs 1 through 21 are hereby repeated and incorporated as if fully set forth herein.
- 23. Pursuant to the account agreement, the Debtor agreed to repay Plaintiff for the charges on the account by using the card and represented that she had the ability to repay for the charges.
- 24. When the Debtor made the \$12,771.12 in charges on the account, the Debtor represented that she had the intention to repay said debt to the Plaintiff pursuant to the terms of the account agreement and by use of the card.
- 25. The account statements are marked Exhibit A, and attached hereto.
- 26. The Plaintiff relied upon the Debtor's representations of intent to repay the Plaintiff pursuant to the terms of the account agreement and representations of agreement to abide by the terms of the account agreement in allowing the Debtor to use this account and incur these charges between August 17, 2017 and October 5, 2017, as set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto.
- 27. Although the Debtor knew or should have known that she would not be able to repay Plaintiff for these charges, the Debtor continued using the card.
- 28. The Debtor's spending habits and patterns changed suddenly and drastically when she started making these charges.
- 29. The Debtor made sure all of the available credit was utilized in a short period of time right before she filed for bankruptcy protection.
- 30. The Debtor never made a payment on the Account after making the \$12,771.12 in charges.
- 31. The Debtor either deliberately intended to deceive Plaintiff or acted recklessly with regard to her ability to pay Plaintiff for the \$12,771.12 in charges.
- 32. The Plaintiff monitored the Defendant's card activity and credit worthiness on a monthly basis and there were no indications and/or "red flags" indicating that Defendant would not repay Plaintiff for these charges.

- 33. The Plaintiff was justified in its reliance upon the Debtor's representations of intent to repay the Plaintiff pursuant to the terms of the account agreement and representations of agreement to abide by the terms of the account agreement.
- 34. The Debtor incurred the abovementioned \$12,771.12 in charges on the Plaintiff's accounts at a time when the Debtor was unable to meet her existing financial obligations as they became due.
- 35. Based upon the above, at the time the Debtor incurred the abovementioned \$12,771.12 in charges, the Debtor intended to deceive the Plaintiff in that she either had no intention to repay said debt to the Plaintiff pursuant to the terms of the account agreements or the Debtor knew or should have known that she had no ability to repay said debt to the Plaintiff.
- 36. Based upon the above, at the time the Debtor incurred the abovementioned \$12,771.12 in charges, the Debtor deceived the Plaintiff in that she made such representations of intent to repay the Plaintiff pursuant to the terms of the account agreement and representations of agreement with knowledge that the debtor was unable to repay Plaintiff or to abide by the terms of the account agreement with a reckless disregard as to the truthfulness of said representations.
- 37. Therefore, the Debtor obtained said money from the Plaintiff by false pretenses, false representation, or actual fraud, and at the time of filing, the debt owed to the plaintiff was in the amount of \$12,771.12 and for the above reasons, this indebtedness to Plaintiff, First National Bank of Omaha, is nondischargeable in bankruptcy pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §523 (a) (2) (A).

V. Prayer for Relief

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, First National Bank of Omaha, respectfully prays that this Court:

- A. Determine that the Debtor's indebtedness to the Plaintiff is an exception to discharge pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §523 (a) (2) (C) and/or (a)(2)(A).
- B. Grant judgment to the Plaintiff, First National Bank of Omaha, against the Debtor, Luck Blakley the amount of \$12,771.12 plus the \$350.00 Adversary Proceeding filing fee, for a total of \$13,121.12 plus interest from the date of the bankruptcy filing, plus the Plaintiff's other costs and disbursements incurred for the collection of this debt and of this action as permitted by applicable law, and
- C. Grant the Plaintiff such other and further relief as to this Court seems just and proper.

Dated: January 9, 2018

THE GREEN LAW FIRM, P.C.

/S/ Jay B. Green

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RENEA D ROBERTS 201 MARTHA LN REIDSVILLE NC 27320-1436



First Bankcard P.O. Box 2557 Omaha, NE 68103-2557

Account Number: 8810 New Balance: \$1,942.84 Minimum Payment Due:\$436.00 Payment Due Date: October 6, 2017

Make checks payable to First Bankcard Amount of Payment Enclosed

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Account Number: Page 001 of 002

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Account Summary

Previous Balance	S0.00
Payments	\$0.00
Other Credits	\$8,838.87
Purchases	+\$1,942.84
Balance Transfers	+\$8,417.98
Cash Advances	+\$0.00
Fees Charged	+\$420.89
Interest Charged	+\$0.00
New Balance	\$1,942.84
Statement Closing Date	09/08/17
Days in Billing Cycle	30

Total Credit Limit	\$12,550.00
Available Credit	\$10,607.00
Cash Limit	\$2,550.00
Available Cash	\$2,550.00

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\$85	3 years	\$2,340 (Savings \$140)

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- 0 Points earned this month on FCA Purchases
- 0 Points earned this month on Travel Purchases
- 1,943 Points earned this month on all other Net Purchases
- 0 Bonus points earned this month
- Total points earned this month
- 0 Points redeemed this month 4,753 Current point balance

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Account Number:

Trans Date	Post Date	Reference Number	Transaction Description	Credits (CR) and Debits
Paymen	ts and Ot	her Credits		
8-17	9-01	75411177244CC11638800**	BALANCE TRANSFER REV	\$8,417.98 (CR
8-17	9-01	75179967244656244073010	BALANCE TRANS FEE REV 18 8417.98	\$420.89 (CR
Transac	tions			
8-17	8-17	85411177229006000000446	BALANCE TRANSFER LS	\$8,417.98
9-03	9-05	05436847247400615995157	SAMS CLUB #4996 DANVILLE VA	\$428.58
9-04	9-05	05410197247255019069988	BEST BUY 00001552 GREENSBORD NO	\$1,350.36
9-04	9-06	05436847248200023286823	HOBBY LOBBY #315 CREENSBORO NO	\$73.21
9-07	9-08	554807772510911B8000025	CATO #139 REDSVILENC	\$90,69
Fees 8-17	8-17	75179967229000229083010	BAL TRAN FEE ac au 17.98	\$420.89
Total Fees For This Period			\$420.89	
Interest	Charged			
		Purchases		\$0.00
		Cash Advances		\$0.00
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Total Int	erest For	This Period		\$0.00

Your Annual Percentage Rate (APR) is the annual interest rate on your account.			count. (v) V	ariable Rate	(f) Fixed Rate	
Charge Summary	Annual Percentage Rate (APR)	Special Offer or Eligible Purchase APR Expiration Date	Balance Subject to Interest Rate	Days Rate Used	interest Charge	
Purchases	12.99% (٧)	N/A	\$329,27	30	\$0.00	
Cash Advance	26.24% (v)	N/A	\$0.00	30	\$0.00	
Balance Transfer	12.99% (v)	N/A	\$0.00	30	\$0.00	

2017 Total Year-to-Date

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SERVICEMEMBERS CIVIL RELIEF ACT (SCRA)

If you are an active duty member of the United States Military, you may be eligible for additional benefits on your account(s) under the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (SCRA).

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First Bankcard P.O. Box 2557 Omaha, NE 68103-2557

Account Number: New Balance:\$12,771.12 Minimum Payment Due:\$1,185.00 Payment Due Date: November 6, 2017

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Account Number: Page 001 of 002

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Account Summary

Previous Balance	\$1,942.84
Payments	
Other Credits	
Purchases	+\$0.00
Balance Transfers	+\$8,000,00
Cash Advances	+\$2,200.00
Fees Charged	+\$536.00
Interest Charged	+\$92.28
New Balance	\$12,771.12
Statement Closing Date	10/10/17
Days in Billing Cycle	32

Total Credit Limit	\$12,550.00
Available Credit	\$0.00
Cash Limit	\$2,550.00
Available Cash	\$0.00

Payment Information

New Balance Minimum Payment Due\$1,185.00 Past Due Amount\$436,00

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Only the minimum payment	25 years	\$34,723
\$ 445	3 years	\$18,020 (Savings \$18,703)

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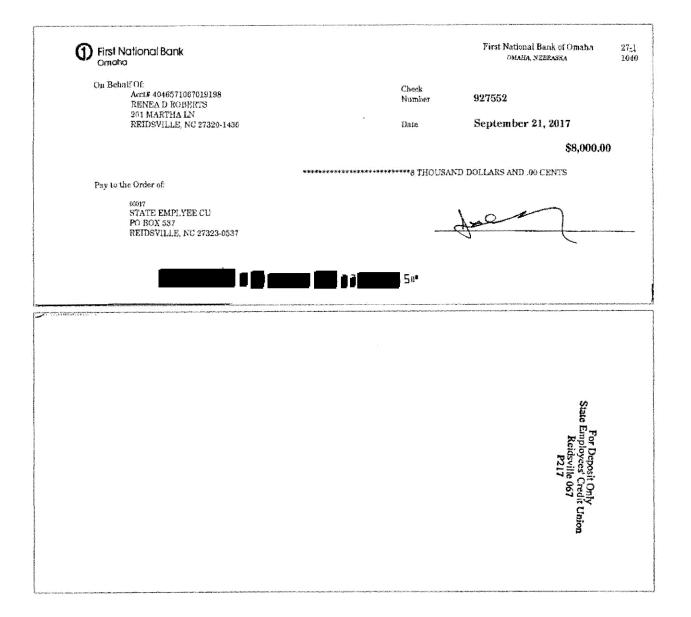
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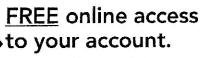
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- Bonus points earned this month
- 0 Total points earned this month
- 0 Points redeemed this month

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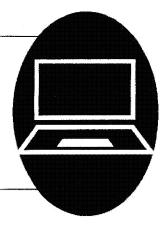
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Important Information Regarding Your Account

By your closing date, we had not received the required payment. Please forward the proper minimum amount due to bring your account current.

We may report information about your account to credit bureaus. Late payments, missed payments, or other defaults on your account may be reflected in your credit report.

Trans Date	Post Date	Reference Number	Transaction Description	Credits (CR) and Debits
Transac	tions			
9-21	9-21	8541117726400600Q003747	BALANCE TRANSFER us	\$8,000.00
10-05	10-06	85422797278980012561981	STATE EMPLOYEES CREDIT REDSVILLE NO	\$2,200.00
Fees 9-21	9-21	75179967264000264063010	BAL TRAN FEE so account	\$400.00
10-05	10-06	75179967279000279080330	CASH ADVANCE FEE 07 2200,00	\$110.00
10-06	10-10	75179967283000283062000	LATE FEE	\$26.00
Total Fe	es For Ti	nis Period		\$536.00
	Charged Charge or	Purchases		\$22.29
		Cash Advances		\$9.98
		Balances Transfers		\$60,01
		This Period		\$92.28

Your Annual Percentage Rate (APR) is the annual interest rate on your account. (v) Variable Rate					(f) Fixed Rate
Charge Summary	Annual Percentage Rate (APR)	Special Offer or Eligible Purchase APR Expiration Date	Balance Subject to interest Rate	Days Rate Used	Interest Charge
Purchases	12.99% (v)	N/A	\$1,957.65	32	\$22.29
Cash Advance	26.24% (v)	N/A	\$433.90	32	\$9.98
Balance Transfer	12.99% (v)	N/A	\$5,267.79	32	\$60.01

2017 Total Year-to-Date

Total fees charged in 2017 \$536.00
Total Interest charged in 2017 \$92.28

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